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A delicately perfumed
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Hongkong, January 3, 1912.

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HOPE FOR THE BALD.

Planting New Hair.

If you are bald and desire a new head of hair you can have it. Dr. Székely Ferencz of Budapest, has invented a way of planting hair in the scalp. A man or woman with thinness of hair about the parting can have another four, or five hundred strands set and combed over without much difficulty. It is quite possible that the doctor's methods might not have been made public, had it not been for some little difficulty with the German Patent Office. He had patented his process in many countries, but Germany is very particular as to what it accepts as worthy of being covered by its patent laws. He, therefore, asked the attendance of Dr. Székely Ferencz at Berlin to explain things. He attended, and got his patent all right, but had to go through a long cross-examination before Germany's leading dermatologists, to whom he gave the following information as to his methods:

The scalp is first carefully cleaned, and then anaesthetized with a solution of novocaine. The operator uses a number of small hooks, made of gold wire, and in the eyelet of each hook a double folded hair is inserted. The hook is then pushed into the scalp with the aid of a special needle, of which from 200 to 400 are in readiness all prepared with hook and hair. When the needle has been pushed into the scalp it is turned at a right angle and then pulled out, laying the hair under the skin fastened by the outstanding end of the hook. Thus the little bit of gold acts as an anchor to hold the end of the hair.

As at one sitting not more than from 300 to 400 hairs can be implanted, a full head of hair requires from 25 to 40 sittings, assuming that from 10,000 to 20,000 hairs will cover a head. If the hairs are somewhat long then considerably fewer are necessary, because in this case it is sufficient to implant several hundred hairs around the parting, and these long hairs are combed across the scalp so as to cover the bald surface. After the sittings there is very little reaction of the scalp, and even that disappears after one or, at most, two days. Of course, every precaution must be taken to ensure perfect cleanliness and antiseptics. As in the frequency of sittings, Dr. Székely Ferencz says that sometimes he is able to apply the treatment every alternate day. If there is any inflammation around a hair, it is to be pulled out, and the operator must be very careful not to damage the scalp.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

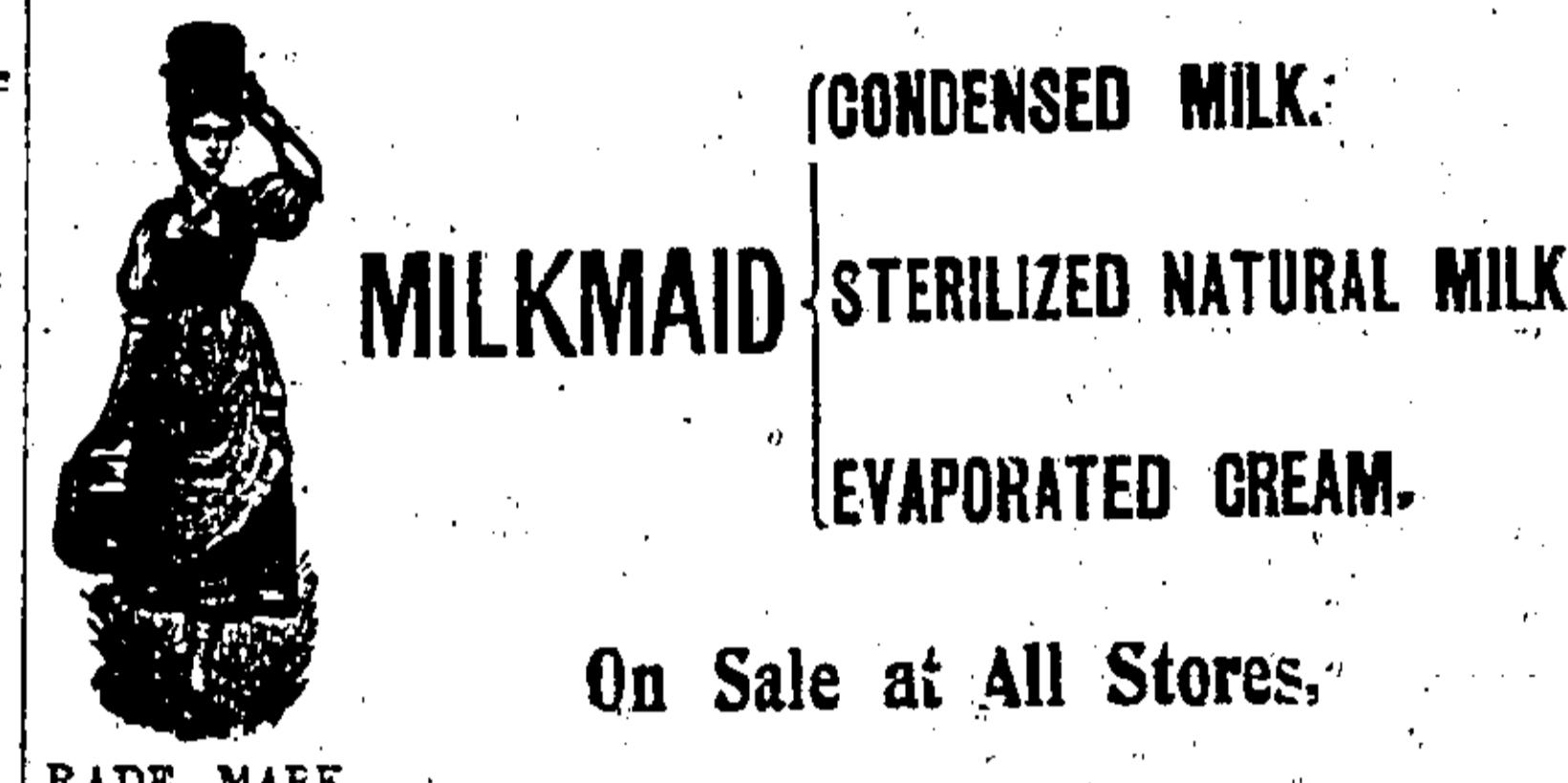
One Steam Launch For Sale.

W. S. Bailey & Co., Ltd.
KOWLOON BAY.

TELEGRAM

Received on 11. 11. 11. from LONDON.

We beg to inform you ROYAL WARRANT AWARDED
our Company for Milk.



CONDENSED MILK.

STERILIZED NATURAL MILK.

EVAPORATED CREAM.

On Sale at All Stores.

HONGKONG, CANTON, MACAO AND WEST RIVER STEAMERS.

JOINT SERVICE OF
THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD.
AND THE CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

HONGKONG-CANTON LINE.

HONGKONG TO CANTON. CANTON TO HONGKONG.

TUESDAY, 29th OCTOBER.

8.00 A.M. 'HONAM.' 8.00 A.M. 'HEUNGSHAN.'

10.00 P.M. 'FAISHAN.' 5.00 P.M. 'HINSHAN.'

WEDNESDAY, 30th OCTOBER.

8.00 A.M. 'HEUNGSHAN.' 8.00 A.M. 'HONAM.'

10.00 P.M. 'KINSHAN.' 5.00 P.M. 'FAISHAN.'

HONGKONG-MACAO LINE.

S.S. 'SUI TAI.' 1651. S.S. 'SUI AN.' 1651.

HONGKONG TO MACAO.

Week days at 8 A.M. & 2 P.M. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf.

Sunday, at 9 A.M. & 12.30 P.M. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf.

MACAO TO HONGKONG.

Week days at 7.30 A.M. and 2 P.M. Sundays, at 7.30 A.M. and 6 P.M.

SATURDAY, the 26th October, the Company's Steamship 'SUI TAI' will leave from Wing Lok Street Wharf, at 2 P.M.

S.S. 'SULAN' will make an extra trip leaving Hongkong at 6 P.M., returning from Macao on Sunday, at 6 P.M.

EXCURSION TO MACAO.

SUNDAY, 3rd NOVEMBER.

The Company's Steamship "SUI AN,"

will depart from the COMPANY'S WING LOK STREET WHARF at 9 A.M.

N.B.—The Company will also run a steamer from Macao on Sunday morning at 7.30 A.M. and from Hongkong at 12.30 P.M. from the Company's Wing Lo Street Wharf.

This Steamer connects with the excursion steamer returning from Macao at 6 P.M.

FARES AS USUAL.

Further particulars may be obtained at the Office of the Company.

CANTON-MACAO LINE.

S.S. 'HOI-SANG.' 457 Tons.

Departure from Macao to Canton on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 9 P.M.

Departure from Canton to Macao on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 4.30 P.M.

JOINT SERVICE OF

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD., THE CHINA NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LTD., AND THE Indo-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LTD.

CANTON-WUCHOW LINE.

S.S. 'HAINAN.' 688 Tons, and S.S. 'NANNING.' 665 Tons.

One of the above steamers leaves Canton for Wuchow every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at about 8 A.M., and the other leaves Wuchow for Canton on the same days at 8.30 A.M. Round trips last about 5 days. Passengers can return to Hongkong or vice versa by the Company's direct steamer 'LINTAN' and 'SANU.' These vessels have superior cabin accommodation and are lighted throughout by electricity. Electric Booking Office, open daily (Sunday excepted) 9 A.M. to 5 P.M.

Further particulars may be obtained at the Office of the

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD.

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Both Chinese and Foreign Goods.

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TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS: CHEN KWONG.

Hongkong September 4, 1912.

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BUSINESS NOTICES.

P. & O. Steam Navigation Co.

HOMEWARD PASSENGER SEASON 1912.

S.S. 'INDIA.' (8,000 TONS)

CAPTAIN G. W. GORDON, R.N.R.

THIS THROUGH MAIL STEAMER FOR MARSEILLES AND LONDON
DIRECT, WILL LEAVE HONGKONG ON MARCH 29th, 1912, CALLING
AT STRAITS, COLOMBO, ADEN, EGYPT, MARSEILLES AND GIBRALTAN,
AND IS DUE TO ARRIVE AT—

MARSEILLES. APRIL 26th.

LONDON. MAX. S.R.D.

The Accommodation in this Vessel is at the entire disposal of Passengers from the Far East.

FARES TO LONDON—

1ST SALOON £71.10 SINGLE: £106.14 RETURN.

2ND SALOON £48.8 " £73.12 "

For Further Particulars, apply to

H. W. D. SHALLARD, Acting Superintendent.

Hongkong, September 2, 1912.

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When the Hair Gets Dry and Brittle

when dandruff increases and the hair shows a tendency to fall out

That is the time to use our

Victoria Hair Wash.

A true tonic for the hair, a food for the scalp and a cure for scalp diseases.

\$1.00 per bottle.

PREPARED ONLY BY THE

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Specialists in the Manufacture of RAILWAY ROLLING STOCK of every description

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PRESSED STEEL UNDERFRAMES AND BOGIES AND ALL-STEEL
RAILWAY WAGGONS.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, for account of the concerned.

SATURDAY.

the 2nd November, 1912, commencing at 2.30 P.M., at their SALES ROOMS, No. 8, Des Vaux Road, Corner of Ice House Street, -

A VALUABLE CONSIGNMENT OF

JAPANESE GOODS, &c.,

Just ARRIVED FROM JAPAN.

Consisting of:-

Cherrywood Cabinets, Chairs, Tables, etc., etc.
Brass and Bronze Vases, Bowls, Tongs, Lanterns, etc.

Makuzu, Imari, Satsuma and Cloisonne Ware.

A number of Large Silk Embroidered Screens, Wall Hangings, Kakemonos, etc., including a Variety of Tea and Coffee Services,

And

ONE RUMBER-TYRED JAPANESE RICKSHA.

(Full Particulars from Catalogue).

On View from FRIDAY, p.m.

TERMS:—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH,
Auctioneers.

Hongkong, October 24, 1912.

THE AUSTIN-BROTHERTON-
HARKER WEDDING.

List of Presents.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. J. Adams, silver cruet-stand; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Austin, English pewter butter-dish and knife; Rev. and Miss Austin, table-centre and work-basket; Mr. and Mrs. W. Armstrong, Japanese lacquer tray; Sewing Amah, fan, pen-wiper and pin cushion; Mr. E. E. de W. Abney, silver menu-holders.

The Staff, Messrs. Butterfield and Swire, silver spirit kettle and salver; Mr. H. S. Bennett, silver and cut glass ice-cream dish and server; Miss Mabel Bird, cut-glass vase; Mr. J. H. G. Brayfield, silver salver; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baker, silver vases; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Bain, silver vase; Mr. and Mrs. A. Bryan, silver sweet-dishes; The Misses Maui and Janet Burrell, silver fruit servers; Dr. R. E. O. Bird, Japanese coffee-cups; Dr. and Mrs. B. W. Brown, silver photograph frame; Monsieur et Madame Berthod-que, silver ice-spoons; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bryan, silver vases; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. C. Bonar, silver coffee-spoons; Mr. H. Murray Bain, brass finger bowls; Mrs. Norman F. Blach, brass incense burner; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burden, towels; Mr. and Mrs. Drew Braidwood, blackwood curio table; Mr. and Mrs. E. Bellies, silver fruit dish.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chapman, cut-glass vases and hand-painted cushion; Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Clark, silver tea-tray; Mr. Chan, silver napkin rings; Mr. S. H. Chisholm, silver photo frame; Mr. and Mrs. Cousins, drawn tasseled tea-cloth; Mr. Mok Man Cheung, Foochow lacquer tea-pots; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Chapman, blackwood stool; Mr. Yung Cheung, teakwood bedroom suite and curio cabinet.

The Misses Dickson, silver sweet-dishes; Mr. and Mrs. F. Kirkman Dealy, silver toast racks; Mr. A. P. Dashwood, silver spirit lamp; Mr. and Mrs. Walker A. Dowley, silver cake knife; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Davy, brass-mounted plates; Mr. and Mrs. W. Dickson, silver chandelier; Dr. Alice D. Sibree, drawn work tea-napkins.

Edith, Florence and William, travelling clock; Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Edkins, silver spirit bottle and stand; Miss Ernault, Satsuma bowl; Miss Rose Edwards, silver photo frame.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher, silver vases; Mr. Ho Fook, silver sweet basket; Mr. Thomas Fisher (to Bride), silver sweet-dishes and (to Bridegroom) silver cigarette case; Mr. and Mrs. Fuhrmann, bronze and silver inlaid vases; Mr. Fung Shiu Wa, silver card case; Mr. and Mrs. Renfro Friofoius, ivory card case; Mr. Denman Fuller, The Rubaiyat by Omar Khayyam; Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Forbes, bronze vase; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Franklin, crochet tea-cloth; Mr. and Mrs. Sin Tak Fan, travelling clock; The Misses Florence and Ruby Sin Tak Fan, jewel case.

Mr. and Mrs. Galuzzi and family, cut-glass bowl; Mr. and Mrs. David S. Gibson, silver puff box; Mr. Kenneth E. Greig, silver nut crackers and peeler; Mr. A. O. D'Gourdin, Japanese vases; Mr. and Mrs. W. Douglas Graham, Chinese porcelain panels in blackwood frames; Miss Clementine Goncalves, fairy ring by Mrs. Goldsmith; The Misses Gordon, brass vase; Mr. J. H. Gardner silver cake basket.

Mr. and Mrs. Brotherton-Harker, set of furs; Mr. and Mrs. Miss Ching Hua, silver rose bowl; Mr. and Mrs. Mason Hurley, silver photo frame and Chinese vase; Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hale, silver fish knives and forks; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Humphreys, silver fruit-spoons; Mrs. and the Misses Quinn, silver tea-spoons; Dr. and Mrs. Henry, gold damascene bat-pins; Miss Hartshorn prayer and hymn book; Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Hickling, two volumes, "Dull Light"; Mr. Chen Hart, clock; Mr. and Mrs. Gwen Hughes, Japanese coffee set; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Howard, silver cake basket; The Misses Hauke, hand-made cake doyley; Miss Elsa Hake, watercolour, "Maple scene in Japan"; Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Haskell, silver purse; Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Harding, ivory and gold bracelet; Mr. and Mrs. Julian Hance, drawn thread tea cloth and tea cosy; Capt. and Mrs. Hodgins, set of teapots; Mr. and Mrs. A. Hollingsworth, silver almond dishes; Mr. William Hale, bevelled hand-painted mirror; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hazelton, jade and gold charm; Nina, Rita and Andrew Hazelton, silver tea-spoons; Dr. Spencer Hough, cut-glass bowl; Mr. H. F. Hickman, silver nut crackers and peeler; Miss Hance, silver tea strainer, sugar tongs and cake fork.

Mr. Ip Shu Kam, silver fruit dish; Dr. and Mrs. Evans-Jones, silver crumb-scoop; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jones, silver lavender bottle; Mrs. and Miss Joseph, silver sweet-dishes; Mr. and Mrs. Lee-Jones, silver tea-spoons; Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Jolley, silver napkin rings; Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Jackson, silver spoons.

Mr. David Kennedy and Miss Kennedy, silver cake basket; Mr. and Mrs. Kwok Sin Lau and family, silver brushes and comb; Mr. and Mrs. Ho Kwong, silver napkin rings; Mr. Leung Kai, silver photo frames; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kinghorn, set of silver cruet.

Mrs. and the Misses Loureiro, silver rose bowl; Comul and Mrs. J. J. Leiria, silver spirit kettle and stand; Monsieur, Madame Lelebouf et famille, silver teapot; Mr. Peter Loureiro, perfume tantalus; Mr. and Mrs. Lai Chi Chin, silver and mother-of-pearl table-cutlery; Mr. and Mrs. George P. Lammert, silver toast racks; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lewis, silver salt-cellars; Mr. and Mrs. H. Lee, ivory hat-pins; The Misses Luckman and

Geo. P. Lammert
SHARE & GENERAL BROKER

FOR SALE

SECTION A of K. I. L. 570

Area 25,376 Square feet.

Position: Facing King's Park.

Money on Mortgages at market rates.

PUBLIC AUCTION

A FINE SELECTION OF JAPANESE
EMBROIDERIES & CURIOS.

THE Undersigned has received instruc-

TIONS to Sell by Public Auction

on

TUESDAY,

the 29th October, 1912, commencing at

2.30 P.M., at his Sales Rooms.

DUDWELL STREET, -

A FINE SELECTION OF JAPANESE
EMBROIDERIES & CURIOS.

Comprising:—

FINE SILK EMBROIDERED: Screens

(large and small), Wall Hangings,

Bodysprads, Kimonos, Cushion Covers

and Pictures, etc.

CARVED IVORY: Cabinet, Boxes and

Figures.

DAMASCENE: Bracelets, Ciarette Cases,

Buckles, Cuff Links, Buttons and Hat

Pins.

FINE KINKO SAN SATSUMA: Vases

and Tea Sets; also

Bronze Cloisonnes, Brass Ware, Kaga

and Nagoya Tea Sets and Vases, etc., etc.

On view from Monday, the 28th Oct.

Catalogues will be issued.

TERMS:—Cash on delivery.

Geo. P. Lammert,

Auctioneer.

Hongkong, October 22, 1912. 1343

PUBLIC AUCTION

THE Undersigned has received instruc-

TIONS to Sell by Public Auction

on

WEDNESDAY,

the 30th October, 1912, commencing at

11 A.M., at No. 5, PRUDHOM'S HILL

(Ground Floor).

A QUANTITY OF

VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD

FURNITURE,

Catalogues will be issued.

On view from Tuesday, the 29th Oct.

TERMS:—Cash or delivery.

Geo. P. Lammert,

Auctioneer.

Hongkong, October 24, 1912. 1352

PUBLIC AUCTION

THE Undersigned has received instruc-

TIONS to Sell by Public Auction

on

WEDNESDAY,

the 30th October, 1912, at 2.30 P.M., at

their SALES ROOMS, No. 8, Des Vaux

Road, Corner of Ice House Street, -

A LARGE QUANTITY OF

VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD

FURNITURE,

&c., &c., &c.,

Comprising as follows:—

Two Drawing Room Suites, One Silk

Tapestry and One Leather-Covered,

Cup-Board and Sofas, Carpets and

Rugs, Pictures, a few Oil Paintings and

Engravings, Bed Room Suites, Double and

Single Bed and Bed-mounted Bedsteads

and Beds, Bureaux, Wardrobes, &c., Tank-

wood Dining Room Furniture, &c., &c.,

1. Dinner Service complete and Dessert

Service, Crockery, Electro-plated and Glass

Ware, 2 Cooking Stoves and Kitchen

Utensils, Enamelled Ware, Cutlery, &c.,

Electric Lamps, Brass Fenders, Fire

Brasies, &c.;

Also

A few pieces of Carved Blackwood Furniture,

1 Cottage Piano, 1 Large American

Iron Safe, and a few pieces of Old

Porcelain.

On view day before sale.

Catalogues will be issued.

TERMS:—As usual.

Hughes & Hough,

Auctioneers.

Hongkong, October 23, 1912. 1345

PUBLIC AUCTION

THE Undersigned have received instruc-

TIONS to sell by Public Auction

on

THURSDAY,

the 31st October, 1912, at 11 A.M., at

their SALES ROOMS, No. 8, Des Vaux

Road, Corner of Ice House Street, -

A CONSIGNMENT OF

USEFUL HOUSEHOLD LINENS,

TURKISH TOWELS & SUNDRIES,

&c., &c., &c.,

Comprising:—

Fine Turkish Towels, Bath Gowns,

Huckaback Towels, Fine Damask Table

Cloths and Serviettes (various sizes), Hand

embroidered Pillows Cases, Single and

Double Bed Sheet, Lace Curtains, Ladies' and

Gent's Handkerchiefs, Ladies' Underwear,

Duchesse Sets, Ladies' and Gent's Roses,

Longgoh, Travelling Rug, Tray Supper

Cloths, Gent's Underwear, Table Cloth,

Cutlery, Centre Stand, And

A few lots of Gent's Shirts.

All New Goods just arrived small lots to

suit purchasers).

On view on Wednesday, when Catalogues

may be had on application.

TERMS:—As usual.

Hughes & Hough,

Auctioneers.

Hongkong, October 25, 1912. 1359

PUBLIC AUCTION

THE Undersigned have received instruc-

TIONS from Captain Crichton, to sell

by Public Auction

on

THURSDAY,

the 31st October, 1912, at 2.30 P.M., at

Just the Thing

For your Breakfasts, Teas & Desserts.

Paradise Soda Biscuits. "Cocoanut Taffy Biscuits.
Arrowroot " Del Monte Flarce
Afternoon Tea " Gingernut Cake Wafers.
Assorted and other Varieties.

Fruits in Syrups Golden Glery Brand
Apricots, Peaches, Pears, Cherries, etc.

THE FRENCH STORE.

Hongkong, April 19, 1912.

Banks

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL \$15,000,000
RESERVE FUND \$1,500,000
Sterling \$15,000,000
Silver 17,000,000

RENTAL LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS \$16,000,000

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HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.
On Current Account at the rate of Two per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

ON FIELD DEPOSITS—

For 3 months 2½ per cent per annum.
" 8 " 3 " "
" 12 " 4 " "N. J. STABB,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 21, 1912.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at the minimum monthly balances at 3½ PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK to be placed on Fixed Deposit at 4 PER CENT. per annum.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,
N. J. STABB,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, July 1, 1912.

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1853,
HEAD OFFICE, LONDON.PAID-UP CAPITAL \$1,200,000
RESERVE FUND \$1,650,000

RENTAL LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS \$1,200,000

FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking business transacted.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and FIXED DEPOSITS received for 1 year or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application.

W. M. DICKSON,
Manager.

Hongkong, April 12, 1912.

NEDERLANDSCHE HANDEL-MAAATSCHAPPIJ.

(NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY).
ESTABLISHED 1824.AUTHORIZED CAPITAL \$1,60,000,000—(\$25,000,000/-)
PAID-UP CAPITAL \$1,45,000,000—(\$23,750,000/-)RESERVE \$1,752,608—(\$2,641,058/-)
FUND

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The Bank buys and sells and receives for collection Bills of Exchange, issues letters of credit on its Branches and correspondents in the East, on the Continent in Great Britain, America, and Australia, and transacts banking business of every description.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Accounts 3% per annum on balance.

Fixed Deposits 12 months 4% per annum
Do. 9 months 3½% Do.
Do. 6 months 3% Do.
Do. 3 months 2½% Do.
Do. 1 month 2% Do.

A. P. VAN LEEUWEN, Agent.

Hongkong, July 15, 1912.

THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LTD.

ESTABLISHED 1880.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL \$10,000,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL \$10,000,000
RESERVE FUND \$1,750,000

RENTAL LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS \$16,000,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS,
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" 8 " 3 " "
" 12 " 4 " "N. J. STABB,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 21, 1912.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL \$1,500,000

SUBSCRIBED do. \$1,125,000

PAID-UP CAPITAL \$1,500,000

RESERVE FUND \$2,365,000

HEAD OFFICE—40 THEATREND'S STREET, LONDON, E.C.

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AGENTS IN JAPAN: MEMS JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD.

BANKS:

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Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted and Stocks and Shares bought and sold on account of customers.

Letters of Credit granted on agents and Correspondents all over the world.

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F. O. MACDONALD, Manager.

Hongkong, March 22, 1912.

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Mr. Lau Chu Pak, silver vases; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Piercy, drawn work tea cloth and cosy; Mrs. and Miss Pearce and Mr. Griffin, brass trays; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Paine, blackwood stand; Mrs. Poel and A. G. May, cut-glass salad bowl and servers; Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Pearce, silver sweet basket.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reid, silver toast racks; Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson, silver liqueur cups; Mr. and Mrs. E. Richardson, silver earl cup; Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Raymond, silver umbrella handle; Mrs. Romano, silver biscuit basket; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ross, Japanese vases.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tutter, silver syphon stand; Mr. Ng Hon Tze, silver frame; Miss Teneent, photo in silver frame; Mr. Fung Fook Tien, travelling clock; Mr. Yu Sum Tsoen, silver photo frame; Mr. Bertram Tenzent, draw work tea cloth, cosy and tray clothes; Mr. and Mrs. Ho Tung, silver spoons.

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Mr. G. M. Young, silver inkstand; Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Yung, silver vases; Mr. J. A. Young, silver cheese scoop; Messrs. Mok Koon Yuk and Tsai Kung Po, silver bowl.

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PRETTY HONGKONG WEDDING.

Mr. Frank Austin, Miss G. M. T. Brotherton-Harker.

A pretty wedding of considerable local interest was solemnised at St. John's Cathedral this afternoon, when Mr. Frank Austin, of Messrs. Butterfield and Swire, was married to Miss Georgina Marquita Thelma Brotherton-Harker, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Brotherton-Harker, of Hongkong. The service, which was fully chorral, was attended by a large congregation, both bride and bridegroom having a large circle of friends in the Colony. His Excellency the Governor and Lady May attended the service. The officiating clergyman was the Chaplain, the Rev. Henry Copley Moyle, M.A., and the musical portion of the service was carried out under the direction of Mr. Deeman-Fuller, the Cathedral organist, who played appropriate voluntaries. Before the service he played Grieg's "In Der Hölle Rache" and the newly-wed pair left the church.

Mr. Frank Austin, the Postal Commissioner at Hankow, who has gone on furlough, is being relieved by Mr. N. J. Blix, formerly at Foochow.

An old woman has reported to the police that she was accosted in D'Aguilar Street by a man who obtained from her \$33 by the confidence trick.

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The Indo-China steamer Poaching (Capt. Welsh), which arrived from Guayaquil (Mexico) to-day, reports passing a waterlogged junk, 10° S. E. from Mendoza Island.

A number of cases against people for being in possession of opium were heard at the Magistracy to-day by Mr. Irving and fines were imposed ranging from \$20 downwards.

A man has been sent to the Government Civil Hospital from Yaumati, suffering from injuries sustained by a boy running against him whilst he was carrying a bag of sugar.

A Chinese carpenter at the Magistracy to-day charged a ward-master's boy at Kennedy Town hospital with throwing a brick at him which hit him on the head, causing a scalp wound. The case was remanded.

In connection with the recent robbery at the Hongkong hotel, Mr. Straberry reports that the letter of credit and cheques have been found, together with other property. Money and clothes to the value of \$164 were found on the prisoners, together with jewellery worth \$200, supposed to have been bought with proceeds of the presents received.

A man and woman were charged with receiving part of the money stolen from the J.A. Hongkong at the Magistracy to-day. \$164 were found on the prisoners, together with jewellery worth \$200, supposed to have been bought with proceeds of the theft.

At the Magistracy this morning, Inspector McHardy charged before Mr. Melbourne fifteen men and one woman with 10 Tai Wong Street as an opium den. The woman, who kept the house, was fined \$200 or six weeks, and the men were fined \$5 each or five days. The implements used were forfeited.

It has been stated that during the time of the Revolution, the foreign newspaper correspondents, as a rule, maintained a policy of impartiality in their messages to the home papers, and thus contributed not a little to the success of the Republic. It is now reported that the President, wishing to acknowledge their efforts on behalf of the country, will soon decorate them with the Order of the Double Dragon.

The Minister of Education at Peking has issued instructions to the high schools at Peking that the English language must be included in the syllabus of each school as a compulsory subject.

Two boys, one aged 10 and the other 13, were charged to-day with being in the unlawful possession of sixty catties of opium which they were suspected of having stolen from junks at West Point.

The many friends in Yokohama and elsewhere of Captain S. H. Smith, of the T.K.K. "Shinyo Maru," will sympathise with him in the news just received of the death of his mother at Wavertree, Liverpool, on the 9th instant.

Several steamers arriving this morning have reported the existence of a derelict junk in the direct track of steamers bound to Hongkong from the North. The upper portion is just awash and she lies in approximately Lat. 22° 20' N., Long. 114° 56' E., Pedro Blanca bearing S. 90° E. true.

A meeting was held at the Y.M.C.A. Alexandra Buildings on Friday night last with reference to the re-opening of the Hongkong "Parliament." Mr. F. G. White presided, and there was a fair attendance.

A committee consisting of Mr. H. Sykes, Mr. G. Burnett and J. L. Macpherson was formed to set up the parties, and arrange other details. It is expected to start the "Parliament" in about two weeks' time.

We hear, says the Peking Telegraph of Oct. 14, that the death of the late Mrs. T. O. Winn, wife of the Rev. T. C. Winn of Dairies, took place without the slightest warning even to her husband. On Monday morning she set up as usual, and sat about preparing breakfast in the kitchen, where they were staying, when she was still in bed, perceiving that the sound in the room was abnormal. This caused him to the unaccountable笙子, continued in the kitchen.

The Hongkong Amateur Dramatic Club gave their second and final performance of "A Pair of Spectacles" in the Theatre Royal on Saturday evening. There was no change in the cast that presented the piece on the previous evening. From five to last the comedy was played very ably and to the evident and thorough satisfaction of all. In an all-round able company of all, the billiard tournament to Mr. James and Mr. Ellis, the first and second respectively. At the conclusion of the performance the Chairman, Mr. E. W. H. James, announced that the sum of £100 had been collected for the arbitration for the services, and before separating, the company presented a sum of £100 to the Chairman.

The following telegram was received last night at 10.40 p.m. at the American Consulate General.

MANILA Oct. 27, 1912.

Cyclone or Typhoon W. of Balintang Channel moving W.N.W.

The following telegram was received at 11.25 a.m. to-day.

MANILA Oct. 28, 10.15 a.m.

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YAUATI BOMB OUTRAGE.

A Charge of Murder.

Accused Pleads Not Guilty.

At the Criminal Sessions this morning before the Chief Justice, Mr. W. Rees Davies, E.O., Wu Hon, 25, described as a tailor, a native of Heng Shan, resident of Li Kwan Tsoon on September 11.

The Attorney-General, Mr. J. A. S. Bucknill, instructed by Mr. P. M. Hodges, Assistant Crown Solicitor, prosecuted on behalf of the Crown, and Mr. F. C. Jenkins, instructed by Mr. Sutherland Ross of Messrs. Goldring, Barlow and Morrell, defended. Plaintiff pleaded not guilty.

The following gentleman constituted the jury:—Messrs. J. W. Kew (foreman), T. F. S. Robinson, Hans Ludwig Berger, L. J. Blackburn, P. W. A. Wilkie, W. B. Stormer, and R. K. Miller.

His Lordship said he had taken means to ensure as far as possible, that none of the gentlemen who served in the last murder case should be called again in this one. The remainder of the jury were discharged. He asked whether the Attorney-General had formed any opinion as to when he would like re-tried the case of the sepoys charged with murder and in which the jury disagreed?

The Attorney-General said it might be desirable to have a new panel, or a special jury if it were possible. He did not think the case would be ready for re-trial just yet. Outlining the facts of the present case, the Hon. Attorney said the jury would agree with him that there were few more dastardly outrages than bomb throwing. Bomb throwing not only carried out the motives of revenge or ill-feeling, but also exposed to danger innocent persons. There could be no doubt that about noon on September 11 at Yaumati in one of the streets there, an explosive bomb was thrown, from which the deceased man met his death. He was terribly mangled, and although he was taken to hospital the wounds he had sustained to his body and legs were so serious that he succumbed in the early hours of the morning of the 12th. The question was, who threw the bomb? The evidence which he could call was to the effect that on the date named deceased and a friend were walking along the street, the deceased being a few yards behind. A man threw a bomb at the deceased, who fell. The friend who had thrown the bomb, and with the assistance of two Chinese constables he was secured. That was very strong evidence, and it was corroborated by the two constables, who heard the explosion and then gave chase. A magistrate took the dying deposition of the deceased, but he did not propose to put them in; his friend might properly be improperly object to them on the ground that they were not admissible, but he contended that they were. If they were admissible they were very important evidence, but it was not his duty to improperly press the charge against the prisoner.

Deceased's friend, mentioned by the Attorney-General, described the affair and said the accused was well known in Yaumati as "the handsome boy Wu Hon." When he reached his friend after accused had thrown the bomb, he was thirty per cent. conscious and 70 per cent. unconscious. (Laughter.)

Police Inspector Cameron, land bailiff of Kowloon City, said in March this year the plaintiff complained to him and he consequently he saw one of the two sons of the late Li Ah Hing and told Mr. Lee that he had complained that he owed him some money on his house. He said he would pay the arrears of interest when he sold his pig. A fortnight later Mr. Lee complained that the money had not been paid, though the pig had been sold.

In reply to Mr. Jackson's witness, he admitted that he sold some of the pigs in land bailiff. This was after Mr. Lee had taken proceedings in the Land Court and a warrant had been issued. (Laughter.)

Mr. Jackson's witness had been paid the money realised by the sale.

Mr. Sheaton explained that Mr. Winn gave judgment in the Land Court but next day found he had no jurisdiction and stopped action.

Mr. Lee, the plaintiff, gave evidence concerning the loan, which the deceased Li Ah Hing borrowed to build his house, which he had not yet paid off.

Mr. Lee reduced it to 10 per cent.

The son protested that they were poor to raise the money. She had received no interest since the father died.

Mr. Sheaton said he had no objection to the plaintiff's case.

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THE WAR IN THE BALKANS.

AUSTRIA AND TURKEY.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Oct. 27.

The Reichspost (Vienna) in a significant article, says that the *status quo* in the Balkans is dead, and no diplomatic skill can revive it. Austria has neither the power nor the mission to prevent Turkey's collapse.

BULGARIANS NEAR ADRIANOPOLE.

The correspondent of *The Times* at Sofia reports that the Bulgarians have reached Kırıkkale, on the south bank of the Maritsa, within three and a half miles of Adrianople. They have begun the bombardment of the city, a portion of which is burning.

ADRIANOPOLE FORTS TAKEN.

A message from Sofia reports that the Bulgarians have taken three Adrianople forts, namely, Marash with 1,800 prisoners, Havaras and Budlar, also the railway station outside the city. It is noteworthy that the forts are situated south-west, north and north-east respectively. The Bulgarian artillery is bombarding the town, part of which is ablaze.

A GREEK SUCCESS.

It is reported from Athens that the Greek losses at Sarantoporo Pass, prior to the capture of Serifide, were 18 officers and 169 men killed and 10 officers and 103 wounded. The Turkish casualties were most heavy. They are fleeing everywhere before the Greeks.

THE SERVINS' ADVANCE.

A Belgrade telegram states that the Servian Third Army have captured Vučitrn, to the north-west of Prishtina, and the south-east of Gilan. Five hundred wounded Servian soldiers, whose injuries were mostly slight, have arrived at Belgrade from Kumanovo. Others, whose total is not stated, have been removed to the Hospital at Prešovo.

The Servians captured at Kumanovo 35 field guns, six mountain guns, 10 mortars, and quantities of material. At Sisic they took 13 field guns and nine mortars.

It is officially reported from Belgrade that Ustik was captured without resistance.

FRANCE AND SPAIN.

AGREEMENT REGARDING MOROCCO.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Oct. 28.

A telegram from Madrid states that after months of negotiation, often threatening to lead to a serious Franco-Spanish rupture, a Franco-Spanish agreement regarding Morocco has been concluded. Inter alia it provides territorial concessions from the Spanish zone to compensate France for the latter's sacrifices in the Congo.

GORDON-BENNETT RACE.

TWENTY BALLOONS ENTER.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Oct. 28.

A telegram from Reuter's correspondent at Stuttgart states that twenty balloons started this afternoon in the Gordon-Bennett race.

THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

THE DOMINIONS AND DEFENCE.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Oct. 27.

The Rt. Hon. L. Harcourt, Secretary of State for the Colonies, speaking at Waterfoot, Lancashire, said he saw no obstacle to the Dominions being given a large share in the direction of the defence of the Empire. He would welcome more continuous representation of the Dominions in London.

BEST FOR A COLD.

WHEN you have a bad cold you want the best medicine obtainable, so as to cure it with as little delay as possible. You will make no mistake if you select Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. You are certain to be pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. It is pleasant to the taste and is entirely harmless. For sale by all Chemists and Druggists.

ZOROASTRIAN CHARITY FUND.

Construction of the Rules.

This morning his Lordship the Puisne Judge delivered a lengthy judgment on the recent case taken before him in the Supreme Court to decide the construction of the rules governing the Zoroastrian Charity Fund. Pressure on our space compels us to hold over the full report till to-morrow. His Lordship answered the points placed before him in detail and said: I would like to warn the parties that the final determination of their domestic differences does not properly rest with Courts of Law. It would be quite easy with a little wrong headedness on either side for the whole administration of the Trust to be brought to a deadlock. The explanation is very simple. When rules of this sort are drawn up the founders of the trust have confidence that their successors, who are united by common ties of race and religion, will act reasonably in the settlement of differences and will make allowances for one another's failings. The Zoroastrian community is honoured wherever its members have found an asylum for its intelligence, its liberality and its public spirit. I earnestly hope that they will put aside friction and unite whole heartedly to carry on the good work inaugurated by their predecessors.

ANOTHER PIRACY.

At 8.30 p.m. last night, whilst the *O* ferry launch *Yeo Fat* was proceeding back to Hongkong, off Sai A Wan, between Tai O and Tung Chung, she was hailed by a sampan who said she had some passengers on board for Hongkong. On the launch stopping she was immediately boarded by a gang of armed men who drove the crew below and then made the frightened passengers hand over all their money and effects. The estimated loss is over \$1,000. After releasing the crew, the pirates departed, soon being lost in the darkness. It might not be amiss for a searching enquiry to be instituted in the Chief Village of Tung Chung, as robbers in a small sunken canot proved fair and robberies seem to be getting frequent in that district.

HONGKONG DOCKYARD RECREATION CLUB.

Opening of Rifle Range.

On Saturday last the range of the Rifle Shooting Section of the Royal Dockyard Recreation Club was opened for the season 1912-13 by Commodore R. Anstruther, N., in the presence of a large company, including the following—Mr E. R. Bates and Mrs Bates, Engineer Commander G. W. Roots, R. N., Mr F. Weston, Mr G. Gordon, Surgeon L. Hunt, R. N., Engineer Lieutenant W. Dawson, R. N., Captain M. S. Northcote, H. K. V. C., Dr. M. S. Defence, and Tamar, K. O. Y. L. I., A. O. C., G. Artillery, and Hongkong Police.

When he arrived at the 200 yards firing point, the Commodore received a salute of eleven guns from the civilian members of club, whilst his pennant was unfurled from a flag staff. Mr E. R. Bates, in inviting the Commodore to give the Club a good start for the season by firing the first shot, said the Commodore had not been long with them, but they were beginning to get to know something about him, and they hoped he would take a deep interest in the Recreation Club as a whole (Applause).

The Commodore then fired the first shot, and instead of the usual bull's-eye being scored, four targets each bearing a large letter forming word "Open," immediately appeared at the butts in the place of the four figures targets previously exposed.

After an inspection of the butts by the company, the Commodore presented the medals won by the Dockyard team in last year's Rifle League Tournament. The gentlemen receiving the medals were—E. Hearn (captain), with an average score of 88; H. Elson, average 88; H. Stewart, average 85; F. Brown, average 84.3; T. Hearn, average 84; F. C. Gr. Gory, average 83.7; T. J. Pawson, average 81.4, and A. J. Brock, average 60. The Commodore congratulated all the members on their scores.

The subsequent shooting at the various distances was followed with interest by the Commodore and other officers whilst the ladies and other non-combatants were served with refreshments.

The result of the competition was as follows:—First—Mr J. C. Gregory, nominated by Mr Anstruther, headed the list with a total of 90, made up of 22, 29, 29, 20, 20, 20 and 6.0 yards respectively.

Second—Mr B. Stewart secured second prize for Mr's Cooper with an aggregate of 87, the detail in order of distance, from 200 yards being 22, 33, 32.

Third—Mr H. Elson, nominated by Mrs Powney, finished third with 28, 30, 27, Total 85.

The nominations were drawn for whilst shooting at 100 paces and the pieces were won by the members of the successful company, the latter receiving a silver spoon each as a reward for their distinguished efforts. Of the visitors who fired, Commander Tucker of the Army Ordnance Corps was an easy first with an aggregate of 87 points.

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SPORTING.

Cricket.

THE INTERPORT PRACTICE.

Another practice match for the interport cricket was held on Saturday on the Hongkong Club's ground, when sides captained by Mr W. C. D. Turner and Mr H. Hancock took the field. Mr Turner's eleven batted first and ran up a total of 189, for eight. Mr Hancock's team managed to score 137 for three wickets down before the stumps were drawn. The scores were:

W. C. D. TURNER'S XI.
E. A. S. Fowler, b White 16
Capt. H. K. Hughes, c Joseland, b Christian 4
J. W. Stephenson-Jones, b Christian 12
A. C. E. Elbourn, b Christian 22
W. C. D. Turner, c Taylor, b Christian 6
A. H. Gillingham, l.b.w., b Taylor 14
R. O. Hutchinson, b Christian 34
A. Clark, c Sayer, b White 11
Lt. E. H. Taylor, not out 4
R. E. O. Bird, not out 1
Corpl. Taverner, did not bat 43
Extras 43
Total (for 3 wickets) 169

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

O. M. R. W.
Lt. White 11 3 20 3
Lt. Christian 14 2 30 5
H. H. Taylor 7 0 22 1
Corpl. Dempsey 8 3 20 0
A. N. Joseland 5 0 23 0

Corpl. Dempsey, l.b.w. Fowler 31
Capt. Crawford, c Bagnall, b R. E. O. Bird 13
G. D. Sayer not out 40
J. S. Lloyd not out 20
Lt. Christian b Taverner 2
A. N. Joseland, not out 5
H. H. Taylor, Lt. N. J. Williams, H. Hancock, E. B. Reed and Lt. A. G. White did not bat 25
Extras 25
Total (for 3 wickets) 137

BOWLING.

O. M. R. W.
Corpl. Taverner 13 2 41 1
R. O. Bird 12 1 40 1
E. A. Fowler 4 0 19 1
Lt. Bagnall 4 2 7 0
R. O. Hutchinson 1 0 5 0

Kowloon C. C. "A" v. HANCOCK'S XI.

This friendly match was played on the Happy Valley ground on Saturday, and resulted in an easy win for the Service by a wicket and 57 runs. For the victors, P. Biden batted well for his half-century while Hamilton and Witchell did well with the ball; the former took four for 27 and later five wickets at the same cost. For the Kowloon "A" W. L. Wensel with 19 not out was top scorer, and took three Service wickets for 19 runs. Scores—

KOWLOON "A".
J. P. Robinson, c Wood, b Witchell 1
W. E. Dixon, b Hamilton 13
B. D. Evans, b Witchell 2
L. F. Townsend, b Hamilton 1
H. E. Holland, b Hamilton 4
G. Wolf, b Hamilton 0
H. Ovay, b Witchell 1
H. S. Rouse, run out 0
J. H. Head, c Mackay, b Witchell 1
W. L. Weaser, not out 19
W. T. Elson, b Witchell 0
Extras 8

Total 59

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

O. M. R. W.
Hamilton 9 3 27 4
Witchell 8.3 27 5

CIVIL SERVICE INSIGNS.

R. C. Witchell, c Elson b Dixon 20
F. Biden, b Evans 50
H. S. Jackson, b Weaser 0
R. C. Barlow, b Weaser 0
A. Ellis, c Ovay b Wolf 0
E. W. Hamilton, c Rouse b Wolf 0
A. E. Wood, b Ovay 2
H. A. Cox, not out 14
J. Mackay, c Evans Wensel 1
E. W. Davison, b Ovay 0
W. Edmonds, did not bat 15

Extras 15

Total 118

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

O. M. R. W.
Evans 10 17 33 1
Dixon 6 0 40 1
Weaser 9 3 19 3
Wolf 3 1 8 2
Ovay 2.1 1 2

K. H. S. TANAR v. THE C. C. C.

A match against H. M. S. Tamar at the naval ground of Saturday marked the opening of the Hongkong Football Club's season. Although the game was a very exciting one it resulted in a draw, no goals being scored by either side. The Club had Clark in goal, Jones and McCubbin at back, and Campbell, Long (captain) and C. Wilkie at half-back. In the forward line, last year's right wing, Hadley and Wilson, were retained, with Brown in his old position in the centre. Rigdon and Benton formed the left wing.

The game was pretty evenly contested although it cannot be said that either made full use of advantages which came their way. The Club, however, with a little more practice should give a good account of themselves in the forthcoming season when the players get more into swing.

R. G. J. v. R. E.

A league match was played on Saturday between the R.G.A. and the Royal Engineers on the military ground, and the artillerymen eventually won a well-contested game by four goals to three. The match, which was witnessed by a large crowd of people, was a most exciting one, inasmuch as up to about the middle of the second half the score stood at three nil against the artillerymen, but they put on a remarkable spurt, and intense enthusiasm prevailed when goal after goal was put on, and when the winning point was secured, the supporters of the R.G.A. cheered vociferously.

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ALLEGED THEFTS BY MESS BOY.

At the Magistrate this afternoon before Mr Melbourne a young Chinese was charged with stealing a tin of cavare, a bottle of essence, a cake of soap, and a bottle of gum from the mess of Messrs. Blackhead and Co., where he was an office and mess boy. Mr Shenton appeared to prosecute, and Mr Lewis, represented the defendant, who pleaded not guilty. Mr Shenton stated that the cook at the mess saw the defendant take a tin of cavare from the shelf and place it in his pocket. It was afterwards taken to a shop and handed over to the accountant. Sergeant Appleton searched the defendant's limes and there found the other articles mentioned in the charge. Defendant's salary was \$15 a month, but he had sometimes paid as much as \$50 a month into his bank.

Total 102

BOWLING.

O. M. R. W.
Capt. Wood 8 0 26 2
A. O. Brown 7 0 26 0
L. J. Blackman 4 0 27 2

A. O. Brown, c Raven, b Curwen 11

G. Harper, c Raven, b Curwen 11

W. Curwen, c Raven, b Curwen 12

A. H. Haven, c Raven, b Curwen 11

W. Curwen, c Raven, b Curwen 11</p

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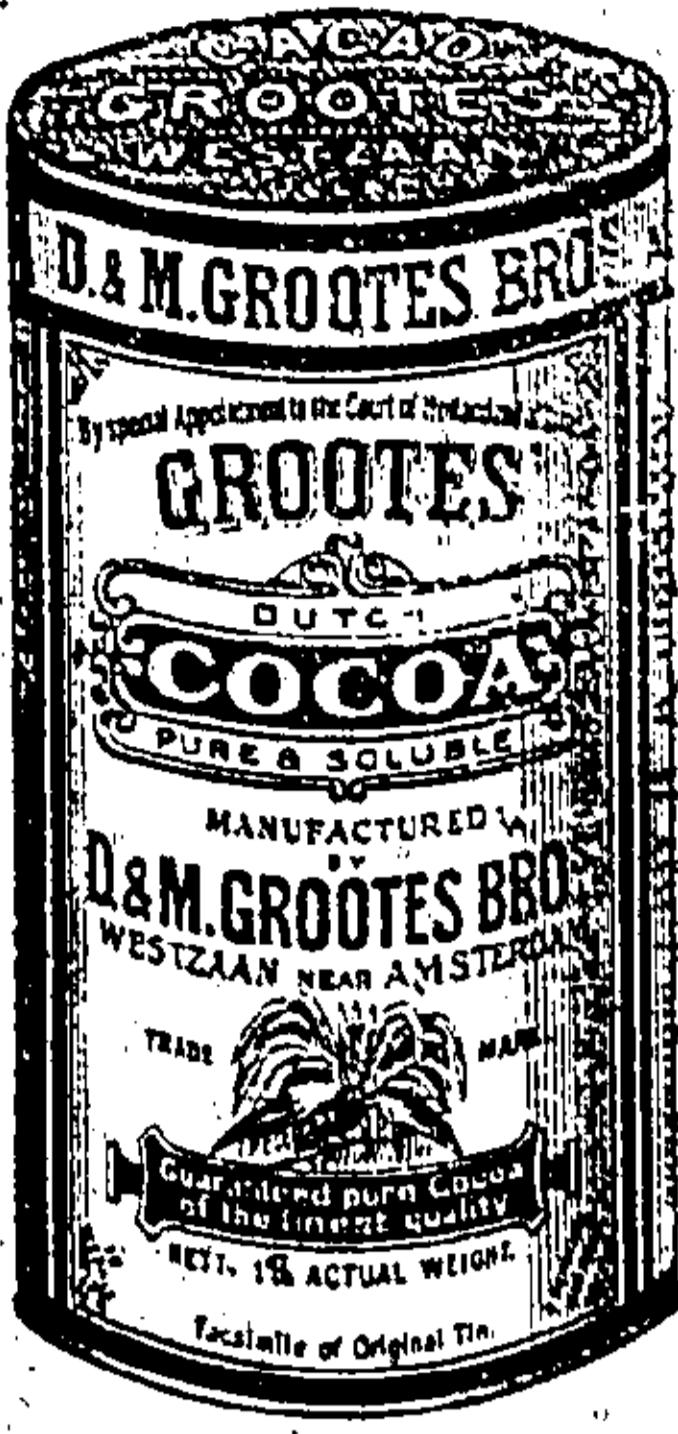
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EXCHANGE

Hongkong, October 28, 1912.

On London—

Bank Wire.

On demand.

30 days' sight.

4 months' sight.

6 months' sight.

Documentation.

4 months' sight.

On Paris—

Demand.

Credit 4 months' sight.

On Berlin—

Demand.

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Credit, 60 days' sight.

On Bombay—

Wire.

On demand.

On Calcutta—

Wire.

On demand.

On Singapore—

On demand.

On Manila—

On demand.

On Shanghai—

On demand.

60 days' sight.

On Yokohama—

On demand.

1001

Soviet (Kreis, buying rate) \$ 0.90

Silver (per oz.)

Chinese Copper Cash.

Chinese Copper Cent.

5

Chinese Silver Coin.

12½

Hongkong Silver Coin.